

3rd Dogwood State Junior Boys High Point Country Club (Willow Creek) High Point, NC August 14-16, 2007 Champion: Ben Kohles, Cary



Ben Kohles of Cary carded a three under par-69 and secured his first Carolinas Golf Association junior championship title by winning the 3rd Dogwood State Junior Championship. Kohles, a rising high school senior, finished his final round with four birdies and one bogey on the par 72 Willow Creek course at High Point CC. Kohles finished with a three day total of eleven under par-205. “I am extremely proud of winning a CGA championship,” said Kohles. “I have worked really hard and it’s nice to see that it’s paying off for me.” Finishing in second place and eight shots back at 213 was Will Almand of Cary. Almand, a rising high school senior who has committed to play college golf at UNC-Greensboro, finished with a three under par 69.

Overall Results (Boys 14-18)

Ben Kohles, Cary, NC	69-67-69—205
Will Almand, Cary, NC	72-72-69—213
Niklas Peterson, Charlotte, NC	68-73-73—214
Michael McGowan, Southern Pines, NC	75-69-71—215
Jordan Walor, Wake Forest, NC	72-73-71—216
Conner Sock, Hickory, NC	74-75-69—218
Adam Stephenson, Greenville, NC	70-69-79—218
Jonathan McCurry, Sanford, NC	77-71-70—218
Chris Nuhn, Greensboro, NC	75-70-74—219
Michael Cromie, Cary, NC	70-71-78—219
Samuel Stephenson, Raleigh, NC	73-74-72—219
Brooks Beanland, Cary, NC	72-73-74—219
Jim Frazier, Burlington, NC	77-70-73—220
Ben Wright, Shelby, NC	69-74-77—220
Matthew Younts, Stokesdale, NC	71-73-76—220
Harold Varner III, Gastonia, NC	72-76-73—221
Matthew Rogers, Huntersville, NC	76-73-72—221
Evan Danchenka, Harrisburg, NC	81-66-74—221
Taylor Zimmerman, Elkin, NC	73-73-76—222
John Welden, Pilot Mountain, NC	74-75-73—222
Leif Neijstrom, Greensboro, NC	75-71-76—222
Patrick Sawrey, Smithfield, NC	72-74-76—222
William Martin, Eden, NC	71-79-73—223
Brian Fournier Jr, Rockingham, NC	73-73-77—223
John Connors, Apex, NC	75-74-74—223
Roy Dixon III, Salisbury, NC	72-73-80—225
Brandon Wilkerson, Winston Salem, NC	74-75-76—225
Rich Leeper, Chapel Hill, NC	77-75-74—226
Braden Jackson, Dallas, NC	75-78-73—226
Brian Denton, Wendell, NC	82-71-75—228
Zachary Garrison, Mills River, NC	78-73-77—228
Ben Nihart, Winston Salem, NC	78-72-79—229
Cyrus Stewart, Raleigh, NC	75-77-79—231
David Sechrest, Reidsville, NC	76-76-79—231
Isaac Spencer, Winston Salem, NC	72-78-81—231
Andrew Keller, Hickory, NC	73-80-82—235

Jack Garrett, Durham, NC	77-75-83—235
Michael Marshburn, Cary, NC	76-76-84—236
Jason Garrett, Durham, NC	77-76-85—238
John Mikels, Raleigh, NC	76-76-87—239

Boys 12-13 Division

Davis Womble, High Point, NC	76-69-76—221
David Weinberger, Roxboro, NC	76-77-74—227
Alex Nianouris, Salisbury, NC	76-78-73—227
Luke Haithcock, Burlington, NC	74-75-78—227
Wilson Brown Jr, Statesville, NC	73-68-87—228

11 and Under Division

Tanner Owen, High Point, NC	36-35-35—106
Eric Edwards, Salisbury, NC	38-38-35—111
Kyle Austin, Mebane, NC	38-36-38—112
William Blalock, Gastonia, NC	40-40-36—116
Noah Edmondson, Huntersville, NC	40-39-38—117
Thomas Walsh, High Point, NC	40-42-39—121
Andrew Kennedy, Winston-Salem, NC	41-43-44—128
Jacob Haithcock, Burlington, NC	45-44-41—130
Isabella Rusher, Salisbury, NC	47-47-47—141
Julia Shelton, Stoneville, NC	52-49-44—145

Dogwood State Junior Boys Championship

Date	Winner, Runner-up	Score	Site
2005	Daniel Meggs, Charlotte*	207	CC of Salisbury
	Lee Bedford, Cary	207	Salisbury
2006	Ryan Sullivan, Winston-Salem	212	Bermuda Run CC
	Tommy Gibson, Pilot Mountain	214	Bermuda Run
2007	Ben Kohles, Cary	205	High Point CC (Willow Ck.)
	Will Almand, Cary	213	High Point

*won in playoff

Photo Gallery: North Carolina Junior Boys Amateur



Left: Winners from the 11 and under division. (L-R) Eric Edwards, Tanner Owen and Kyle Austin. Center: Davis Womble keeps his eye on his approach shot. Right: Michael Cromie won the 14-15 age division.

**3rd Dogwood State Junior Girls’
High Point Country Club
(Willow Creek)
High Point, NC
August 14-16, 2007
Champion: Courtney Taylor, Gastonia**



Courtney Taylor of Gastonia successfully defended her title winning the 3rd Dogwood State Junior Girls’ Championship by five shots over Megan Moore of Bahama. Taylor finished with a two over par-74 on the final day and a three day total of eight over par-224 to secure her second CGA title of the year. Taylor, a rising high school junior, also won the Carolinas Girls’ Championship in 2007. “I love playing golf,” Courtney said. “It’s so exciting to be able to defend a title. I look forward to defending again next year.”

Overall Results

Courtney Taylor, Gastonia, NC	73-77-74—224
Meghan Moore, Bahama, NC	76-73-80—229
Katherine Perry, Cary, NC	79-77-75—231
Shannon Prunty, Oak Ridge, NC	81-76-77—234
Kristen Hagan, Charlotte, NC	78-73-88—239
Lizzie Bundy, Clayton, NC	80-82-78—240
Brianna Clemmons, Oak Ridge, NC	81-78-81—240
Foster Whitney, Charlotte, NC	76-80-88—244
Megan Ulep, Belmont, NC	78-84-83—245
Caroline Ellington, New Bern, NC	75-91-79—245
Laura Wearn, Charlotte, NC	82-82-82—246
Shauna Walor, Wake Forest, NC	79-86-85—250
Jessica Hook, Wilmington, NC	82-84-85—251
Samantha Bonham, Greensboro, NC	87-81-84—252

Missed the Cut

Marjorie Whitney, Wilmington, NC	87-82—169
Amy Harris, Newton, NC	89-80—169
Katie Kirk, Davidson, NC	85-85—170
Allison Emrey, Charlotte, NC	81-91—172
Jessica Neese, Liberty, NC	86-86—172
Lane Gakeler, Greensboro, NC	86-86—172
Kinsey Podrebarac, Waxhaw, NC	90-86—176
Mallory Warrick, Wilson, NC	91-85—176
Lisa Lundegard, Greensboro, NC	90-88—178
Megan Katsch, Wilmington, NC	89-89—178
Chelsea Clendenin, Clyde, NC	WD

Dogwood State Junior Girls’ Championship

Date	Winner, Runner-up	Score	Site
2005	Amber Littman, Stoney Creek	228	CC of Salisbury
	Jordan Ridge, Pinehurst	229	Salisbury
2006	Courtney Taylor, Gastonia	232	Bermuda Run CC
	Colleen Estes, Cary	233	Bermuda Run
2007	Courtney Taylor, Gastonia	224	High Point CC (Willow Ck.)
	Meghan Moore, Bahama	229	High Point